

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of the claim will replace all prior versions and listings of claim in the present application.

Listing of Claims

1. (currently amended) A surveillance camera apparatus comprises an image signal transmission apparatus transmitting an image signal and an image signal reception apparatus receiving an said image signal from said image signal transmission apparatus, ~~wherein~~

wherein said image signal transmission apparatus comprises:

an image pick-up unit for picking-up an object;

a position input unit for ~~specifying~~ generating position information relating to a predetermined range-privacy-related image part;

a position data adding unit coupled with said image pick-up unit, for superimposing said position information into said image~~from an output signal~~ from said image pick-up unit; and

an image signal output unit for outputting said image signal with said position information obtained from said position input unit ~~superimposed on said image signal obtained from said image pick-up unit~~, and

wherein said image signal reception apparatus comprises:

an image signal input unit for applying said image signal with said position information from said image signal transmission apparatus;

a position information detector for detecting said position information from ~~an said~~ image signal to which ~~said position information transmitted from said image signal transmission apparatus is added;~~

a recorder for recording said image signal without masking or with masking;

an image signal output unit for outputting said image signal without masking or with masking from said recorder; and

a controller for ~~selecting~~ selectively outputting from said image signal output unit, any-one of said image signal without masking and a said image signal with masking a said predetermined privacy-related image part range of said image signal-based on said position information from said position information detector and for recording it into said recorder.

2. (currently amended) A surveillance camera apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said position information obtained from said position input unit is superimposed on a vertical blanking period of said image signal obtained from said imaging-image pick-up unit in said image signal transmission apparatus.

3. (currently amended) A surveillance camera apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said image signal reception apparatus further comprises comprising:

a mode selector, and said controller selects at least ~~any-one~~ of a mode recording said image signal without masking into said recorder without masking and a mode recording said image signal with masking into said recorder with masking-based on a selection signal from said mode selector.

4. (currently amended) A surveillance camera apparatus according to claim 3, wherein said controller further ~~comprises~~ comprising:
a security setting unit, and said mode recording said image signal without masking into said recorder ~~without masking is set by the controller~~ signal of said security setting unit.

5. (currently amended) A surveillance camera apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said image signal reception apparatus further ~~comprises~~ comprising:
~~a memory unit for position information for storing position information from said detector for position information,~~ a first selector for selectively ~~outputting any~~ recording into said recorder one of said image signal without masking and an image signal with masking a predetermined privacy-related image part from said image signal based on said position information, and
a second selector for ~~recording~~ selectively outputting from an image signal selected by said selector into said recorder to selectively output any one of an output said image signal without masking from said recorder and an said image signal with masking a said predetermined privacy-related image part from said ~~output~~ image signal based on said position information.

6. (currently amended) An image signal transmission apparatus comprising:
an image pick-up unit for picking-up an object;

a position input unit for ~~specifying~~ generating position information relating to a predetermined privacy-related image part ~~an image pick-up forbiddance range from an output signal from said image pick-up unit;~~

a position ~~information data~~ adding unit coupled with said image pick-up unit for superimposing said position information obtained from said position input unit ~~on~~ into said image signal obtained from said image pick-up unit; and

an image signal output unit for outputting said image signal to which said position information is added.

7. (original) An image signal transmission apparatus according to claim 6, wherein said position information obtained from said position input unit is superimposed on a vertical blanking period of said image signal obtained from said image pick-up unit.

8. (currently amended) An image signal reception apparatus comprising:

an image signal input unit for inputting an image signal to which position information related to a predetermined privacy-related image part ~~an image pick-up forbiddance range~~ is added;

a position information detector for detecting said position information from said image signal;

a recorder for recording said image signal without masking or with masking;

an image signal outputting unit for outputting said image signal without masking or with masking from said recorder; and

a controller for ~~selecting any~~selectively outputting from said image signal output unit, one of said image signal without masking and a said image signal with masking ~~an image picking-up forbiddance range of said image signals~~said predetermined privacy-related image part based on said position information from said position information detector ~~to record it into said recorder.~~

9. (currently amended) An image signal reception apparatus according to claim 8, further comprising:
a mode selector, and said controller selects at least ~~any one of a mode recording said image signal without masking into said recorder without masking and a mode recording said image signal with masking into said recorder with masking~~ based on a selection signal from said mode selector.

10. (currently amended) An image signal reception apparatus according to claim 9, wherein said controller further ~~comprises~~ comprising:
a security setting unit, and said mode recording said image signal without masking into said recorder ~~without masking~~ is set by the ~~control~~ signal of said security setting unit.

11. (currently amended) An image signal reception apparatus according to claim 8, further comprising:
a ~~memory unit for position information for storing said position information from said detector for said position information;~~ a first selector for ~~selectively outputting any~~ recording into said recorder one of said image signal

without masking and an image signal with masking a predetermined privacy-related image part from said image signal based on said position information; and a second selector for ~~recording an image signal selected by said selector~~ outputting from said recorder ~~to selectively output any one of an~~ output said image signal without masking ~~from said recorder and an~~ said image signal with masking a predetermined privacy-related image part from said ~~output~~ image signal based on said position information.